

BLOOMSBURG UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS, ACADEMIC YEAR 2009-10

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Accounting - New Freshmen	Jack L. Mertz Accounting Scholarship	\$950 \$475 fall & \$475 spring (two awards)	Incoming freshman; accounting major; application criteria include SAT scores, class rank, GPA/average, and activities. May apply for in subsequent years, but renewal of scholarship is not guaranteed. Pending donor's availability, agree to attend the fall BU scholarship luncheon and reception with him or her.	Apply for admission to BU. Selection made by the Director of Admissions, in consultation with the Accounting Dept. faculty.	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
Accounting - New Transfers	Jack L. Mertz Accounting Scholarship	\$950 \$475 fall & \$475 spring (two awards)	New transfer student at time of award; accounting major; application criteria include SAT scores and class rank, cumulative GPA/average, and activities. May apply for in subsequent years, but renewal is not guaranteed. Pending donor's availability, agree to attend the fall BU scholarship luncheon and reception with him or her.	Apply for admission to BU. Selection made by the Director of Admissions, in consultation with the Accounting Department faculty.	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
Athletic (Includes freshmen)	Eli McLaughlin Scholarship	\$3000 The award can be given in one disbursement or divided by semester (at coach's discretion). Up to 3 recipients as determined by men's swimming coach (or other coach if no men's swimmers are eligible).	Financial need; continuing satisfactory progress; continuing swim team membership. If no applicant meets this criteria, a member of the women's swim team or other sports will be considered. Renewable for four years if criteria is met.	Recipients selected by men's swimming coach (or the coach of another team, if no qualified men swimmers can be found.)	
Athletic (Incoming Freshmen)	Hometown Huskies Scholarship	\$875 fall (2 awards)	Incoming freshmen, full-time status who demonstrate financial need. One award will be for a student athlete and one will be for a student not participating in intercollegiate athletics at BU. First preference given to students in Columbia County school districts and private school or home-schooled students. If no qualified students meet the preference, awards may be distributed at the discretion of the appropriate university officials. Awards are renewable at the discretion of the Director of Athletics and Director of Admissions.	No application necessary. Selection will be made by the Director of Admissions and the Director of Athletics.	

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Business (Incoming freshman)	Terry and JoAnn Zeigler Scholarship	\$3750 \$1875 fall & \$1875 spring	Incoming freshmen studying in the College of Business who has achieved a GPA of 3.0 during high school, has significant financial need and not receiving any financial assistance from government sources and little or no financial assistance from private sources, who would be unable to attend the University without this scholarship. Renewable for a maximum 4 years contingent upon maintaining a minimum 3.0 GPA, remaining in the College of Business, and continuing to have severe financial need.	No application necessary. Selection is made by the Admissions Office and scholarship committee members from the College of Business, in consultation with the Office of Financial Aid.	
Business (Incoming freshmen)	Margaret E. McCern Memorial Scholarship	\$1350 \$675 fall & \$675 spring	Incoming freshman; first preference to Southern Columbia High School graduates or Columbia County residents; grade point average, class standing, and activities will be considered.	No application necessary. Recipient will be identified at time of acceptance by the Director of Admissions.	
Business (Incoming freshmen)	Mildred Quick Muller Scholarship	\$5000 \$2500 fall & \$2500 spring	Incoming freshmen in the College of Business; rank in or above the third decile (upper 30%) of the high school class and achieve a score of 1050 or above on the SAT with a minimum of 500 on each portion. Renewable for three additional years if academic achievement level is maintained -- 2.5 for freshman year, 2.75 for sophomore year, and 3.0 for junior year. NOTE: These are grade point averages for the individual academic year under review -- not cumulative averages. Pending donor's availability, agree to attend the fall BU scholarship luncheon and reception with him or her.	Apply for admission to BU. The Director of Admissions, in consultation with the College of Business Dean and appropriate faculty, will identify and select recipients during the spring semester as offers of admission to BU are made.	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
Chemistry	Freshman Chemistry Scholarship Award	\$350 spring	Second semester freshman chemistry major at time of spring award; potential for academic excellence. Non-renewable.	No application necessary. The Chemistry Department will select the recipient.	
Freshmen	Editha Ent Adams Scholarship	\$300 fall	Highest ranking member of the senior class at Central Columbia High School who plans to enroll at Bloomsburg University.	No application necessary. Recipient is selected by the Central Columbia High School Guidance Counselors.	

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Freshmen	Benton High School Scholarship	\$2000 \$1000 fall & \$1000 spring	Benton Area High School graduating senior who is entering Bloomsburg University as a full-time student in either the College of Business or the College of Science and Technology for semester of award payment. Four-year high school grade point average is the primary criterion; financial need is the secondary criterion; renewable for an additional three years contingent upon maintaining a 2.75 cumulative grade point average and continuing financial need.	Bloomsburg University Scholarship Application required	Ms. Amanda Knauer, Administrative Assistant, Financial Aid Office
Freshmen	C. H. Burgess Scholarship	\$1,500 each (10 awards) \$750 fall & \$750 spring	Incoming freshman; preference given to students who reside in Luzerne County; financial need.	No application required. Recipients will be identified by Admissions Office.	
Freshmen	Thomas Diltz Scholarship	\$4500 (Dollars will be split among number of selected recipients.)	Incoming freshman who has graduated from Benton High School in Benton, PA with financial need.	No application required. Recipient will be identified by Admissions Office.	
Freshmen	University Freshman Honors Scholarship	\$1500 \$750 fall & \$750 spring (16 awards)	The University Honors Program challenges students who have distinguished themselves educationally, have superior intellectual ability, set high academic standards for themselves, and are serious about pursuing a quality college education.	Dr. Emeric Schultz Director Univ. Honors Program Bloomsburg University Bloomsburg, PA 17815 Phone 570-389-4713	Dr. Emeric Schultz, Director, University Honors Program
Freshmen	Jeff Hakes Memorial Scholarship	\$500 fall	Incoming freshman from Montoursville High School with the highest grade point average. If no students from Montoursville High School enrolling in the fall, the award will be given to a student from Lycoming County with the same criteria.	No application necessary. Selection is made by the Director of Admissions.	
Freshmen	Mathematics, Science, and Technology Scholarship	\$2,000 \$1000 fall & \$1000 spring (20 awards)	Incoming freshman; mathematics, science, or technology major (including computer science and engineering technology); minimum SAT 1100; and top third of high school class; non-renewable.	No application required. Recipients will be identified by Admissions Office.	

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Freshmen	Student Leadership Scholarship - Minority Leadership Award	Varies (Credited to Tuition)	Incoming minority freshmen; proven interpersonal leadership demonstrated by holding significant leadership position in high school (i.e., president, vice president, treasurer or editor-in-chief); active participation in academic activities and/or community organizations or activities; possess academic potential to succeed at BU as demonstrated by meeting traditional admission requirements. Renewal considered each spring. Upperclass students seeking renewal must have been admitted to BU and awarded a Student Leadership Scholarship - Minority Leadership Award as a freshman; be currently active in at least two CGA recognized, open organizations and hold a leadership position -- President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer -- in at least one for at least one year; or be active in at least two CGA recognized open organizations and be a CGA Senator; maintain a 2.0 minimum grade point average, make normal progress toward a degree; be in good social standing.	Application required. Contact CGA for application form and instructions. The executive committee of CGA will select recipients and notify the Comptroller.	
Freshmen	Mitrani Scholarship	\$2,000 \$1,000 fall & \$1,000 spring	Incoming freshmen; rank in the first decile (upper 10%) of the high school class and achieve a score of 1150 or above on the SAT with a minimum of 550 on each portion OR rank in the second decile of high school class and achieve a score of 1250 or above on the SAT with a minimum of 600 on each portion. Renewable for three additional years if academic achievement level is maintained---3.2 for freshman year, 3.5 after each subsequent year. NOTE: These are grade point averages for the individual academic year under review--not cumulative averages.	Apply for admission to BU. Complete Mitrani Scholarship Application (available from BU Admissions Office), complete FAFSA form (generally available in the high school guidance office).	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
Freshmen	Joseph Mowad Scholarship	\$1575 \$787 fall & \$788 spring (15 awards)	Incoming freshmen; full-time; from Northumberland, Snyder, or Union Counties; financial need.	No application necessary. Selection will be made by the Admissions Office.	
Freshmen	Joseph Nespoli, Sr. Memorial Scholarship	\$450 fall	Incoming freshman with a teacher education major. Pending donor's availability, agree to attend the fall BU scholarship luncheon and reception with him or her. (At the family's discretion, an additional donation of \$250 may be available for a bookstore credit for books.)	No application is necessary. Selection made by Berwick Guidance Counselors Office in consultation with Joseph Nespoli.	

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Freshmen	Joanne and Francis Pineno Endowed Scholarship	\$475 fall	Incoming freshman from Luzerne County with preference for graduates of Wyoming Area High School.	No application necessary.	
Freshmen	Presidential Leadership Scholarships (Awards partly funded by C. Stuart & Eda B. Edwards Estate, Faye K. Koch Estate, and Robert D. Warren Scholarship Fund.)	\$2000 each \$1000 fall \$1000 spring (14 awards) Not renewable	Minimum 3.0 GPA or 88 on 100 point scale; minimum 1050 SAT score; membership/participation in three or more organizations or extracurricular activities; i.e. athletics, school publications, performing arts; and officership in one or more of these.	Admissions Office selects nominees from among current applicants; nominees must accept awards by February 15 of calendar year before they enroll at BU.	
Freshmen	Stanley C. and Veda M. Stewart Scholarship	\$1225 (three awards) \$612 fall & \$613 spring	Incoming freshman; Education major; graduates of Bloomsburg Area Joint School District, Millville Area School District, or Southern Area School District.	No application necessary. Recipients will be selected by the Admissions Office.	
Freshmen	Louise S. and John W. Thomas Scholarship	\$1425 \$712 fall & \$713 spring	Incoming freshman; education major; full-time student who demonstrates financial need but is ineligible for Pell (federal) or PHEAA (state) grants at the time this scholarship is offered during the admissions process.	Apply for admission to Bloomsburg University. Recipient selection made by the Director of Admissions in consultation with the Financial Aid Office.	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
Freshmen	Thomas and Cecilia Toth Scholarship	\$1000 \$500 fall & \$500 spring	Incoming freshman with financial need.	No application necessary. Selection is made by the Admissions Office.	
Freshmen (Summer Enrichment)	Bloomsburg University Foundation Summer Enrichment Scholarship	\$1000 \$500 fall & \$500 spring (number of awards varies depending on number of renewals)	Two most exemplary minority students who have demonstrated excellence in approach to the academic rigors of the Department of Developmental Instruction's (DDI) summer enrichment program; financial need. Renewable for maximum of eight semesters if the students maintain academic good standing and satisfactory progress. Failure to meet these standards will result in the permanent loss of the scholarship.	No application necessary. Recipients are selected by the Department of Developmental Instruction.	

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Freshmen and Incoming Transfers	Karleen M. Hoffman Memorial Scholarship	\$20,000 (split by number of recipients selected)	Student must demonstrate need, as per current financial aid guidelines. Must have a minimum 3.0 gpa and/or rank in the top 30% of his/her high school. If student is a transfer student, he/she must have achieved a minimum 3.0 gpa at the college from which he/she is transferring. If the above-mentioned criteria are met for more than one candidate, candidates with demonstrated leadership ability will be first priority.	Complete and return Karleen M. Hoffman Memorial Scholarship application available from BU Admissions Office. Recipients will be notified by the Admissions Office.	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
General	Bridenstine Family Scholarship	\$1,300; \$650 fall & \$650 spring	Preference given to an incoming freshman. Scholarship can be distributed to one or more applicants annually at the discretion of the Directors of Financial Aid and Admissions.	Bloomsburg University Scholarship Application. Please indicate "Bridenstine Family Scholarship" in the Scholarship Name section. Recipients must apply annually in order to be considered for the award.	Ms. Amanda Knauer, Administrative Assistant, Financial Aid Office
General	Doug Hippenstiel Family Scholarship	\$1400 \$700 fall & \$700 spring	Currently enrolled or incoming freshman who is a graduate of Central Columbia High School. Preference given to a student who had a job during their senior year in high school and participated in at least one of the following activities during their senior year in high school: student newspaper, yearbook, band, orchestra, drama or an athletic team. Financial need.	BU Scholarship Application. Must reapply every year.	Ms. Mary Prout, Scholarship Coordinator, Development Office, Lightstreet Road (3 buildings north of Recreation Center)
General	Lieutenant Donald Jenkins Scholarship	\$250 fall	Currently enrolled or incoming freshman male resident of Lackawanna or Luzerne county; minimum 2.75 GPA or "B" average if an incoming freshman; financial need. Renewable until graduation if maintains 2.75 GPA.	Bloomsburg University Scholarship Application required	Ms. Amanda Knauer, Administrative Assistant, Financial Aid Office
General	Bloomsburg University Supervisory Roundtable Scholarship	\$250 fall (two awards)	Incoming freshmen or upperclassmen; a graduate of local high school or technical school within a school district approximately 30 miles of Bloomsburg University. Demonstrated commitment to community service; financial need required.	Bloomsburg University Scholarship Application required.	Ms. Amanda Knauer, Administrative Assistant, Financial Aid Office

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Math/Computer Sciences	Hank and Linda Bailey Mathematics Scholarship	\$1,000 \$500 fall and \$500 spring	Incoming freshman from Bloomsburg Area School District OR Columbia-Montour Area Vocational Technical School majoring in mathematics, mathematics education, computer science or statistics. First preference will be given to Bloomsburg Area School District students.	No application necessary. Recipient selected by Representatives from Bloomsburg Area School District and the Dept. of Mathematics, Computer Science and Statistics.	
Nursing (Freshmen)	Barbara M. Dilworth Memorial Scholarship	Varies	Incoming freshman; 1100 or above SAT score (minimum of 550 on each portion); may reapply for sophomore year if 3.0 grade point average is met; financial need may be considered.	Apply for admission to Bloomsburg University and submit three letters of recommendation.	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
Nursing (Freshmen)	Earl W. and Susan Joy Lewis Scholarship	\$425 fall	Incoming freshman with 1000 or above SAT score; must demonstrate financial need. Renewable with a 3.0 cumulative grade point and demonstrated financial need.	Apply for admission to Bloomsburg University; submit three letters of recommendation.	Mr. Christopher Keller, Director, Admissions Office
Restricted	First Federal Bank Scholarship	\$450 fall	Incoming freshman who has a solid academic record; financial need; reside in either Carbon, Columbia, Luzerne, Monroe, Montour, or Schuylkill County.	No application necessary. Selection will be made by Financial Aid Office.	
Restricted	Ron Popky Memorial Scholarship	\$500 fall	Incoming freshman from Luzerne County; minimum 3.0 grade point average. Pending donor's availability, agree to attend the fall BU scholarship luncheon and reception with him or her.	No application necessary. Recipient will be identified by Financial Aid Office.	
Restricted	Fred G. Smith "Golden Rule Trust Fund" Scholarship	Varies	Residents of Ashland, Mt. Carmel, or Shenandoah Boroughs or Mt. Carmel Township who are students from one of these high schools: Shenandoah Area, North Schuylkill Area, Mount Carmel Area, Marian Catholic, Pottsville Nativity, or Our Lady of Lourdes. Renewal eligibility up to maximum eight semesters is reviewed each May by Director of Financial Aid. Renewal is contingent upon submission of new FAFSA form each year; satisfactory progress; full-time degree program; and available funds.	Submit FAFSA form to federal processor by February 16 and Fred Smith Scholarship nomination form via high school principals or guidance counselors by March 1. Also apply for BU admission by January 5 to ensure full consideration for the upcoming academic year.	

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Restricted	Brian Van Horn Memorial Scholarship	\$250 fall	Incoming freshman from either Carbon, Luzerne, or Schuylkill counties; financial need.	No application necessary. Recipient will be selected by the Financial Aid Office.	